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Dear Messrs. Day and Jansen:

FINAL REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION/FEASIBILITY STUDY (RI/FS) - ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT (EA) REPORT AND PROPOSED PLAN FOR THE 1100-EM-1 OPERABLE UNIT (OU)

The subject documents transmitted to you on December 30, 1992, contain a disclaimer added by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers "Not Approved for Public Release" on the covers and title pages. The disclaimer was added to note that these draft documents have not been reviewed by two of the three parties involved with this project, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the State of Washington Department of Ecology.

The draft documents have been cleared for dissemination to all parties. The disclaimer does not preclude sharing these documents with any party. However, to eliminate confusion, and as per your request, the covers and title pages of the three volumes of the report have been reprinted to correct the disclaimer to read "Approved for Public Release." Additionally, the Proposed Plan has been reprinted to make the same correction. Copies of the corrected covers, title pages of the report, and the reprinted Proposed Plan are enclosed. Copies are also being sent to those on copy coverage (cc) of the December 30, 1992, letter.

In addition, Table 8.4 (pages 8-19, 8-20) of the report was issued without appropriate corrections, based on the U.S. Department of Energy review. Corrected copies are enclosed; please replace the incorrect pages. Copies of this corrected table are also being sent to those on cc.

If you have any questions or need more information about this letter or the enclosed information, please contact Mr. R. K. Stewart at (509) 376-6192.

Sincerely,

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